





Postcards From Camp: Beaches & Reefs

Landsat images show us how shorelines around the world change from year to year. Did you know that beaches are dynamic, living landscapes? Spend a day on the beach and you see the microscale — in the grains of sand blown by winds, tumbled by the surf, or carried out in your shoes. Spend a week, and you see sandbars and wading pools arise and disappear. Spend a year, and you see dunes grow, shrink, and migrate. When you look across decades using satellites like Landsat, you see the landscape evolving on a wider scale, but still one that humans can experience. The front of this postcard features a natural-color Landsat 8 image of the Bahamas, acquired February 15, 2020.



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